

I would like to voice my opposition to any cuts that would affect the elderly, the mentally ill, low-income families, developmentally disabled, or single parents. These are certainly our most vulnerable groups in the State. Elimination of the HSI Community Action Program would be detrimental to the communities throughout Connecticut. I am a volunteer at TEAM and understand how much they have helped the people in our area who need assistance and made a significant difference in the Valley. Elimination of this program would be catastrophic. This is an important part of TEAM's efforts to help people to survive these difficult economic times. Please reconsider your elimination of this funding.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Evelyn C. North